

**Amendment No. 1 to HB1094**

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**Signature of Sponsor**

**AMEND Senate Bill No. 1245**

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by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-11-216(c)(7)(B) is amended by deleting the first sentence in its entirety and substituting instead the following:

“If a nursing home is more than ninety (90) days delinquent in paying an installment of its annual nursing home assessment fee, the commissioner shall initiate proceedings before the board in accordance with the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, compiled in title 4, chapter 5, so that the board may suspend admissions to the facility or otherwise direct the facility to pay the assessment fee and any accrued penalties and interest in full within a prescribed period of time.”

SECTION 2, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-11-21 6(c)(7), is amended by adding the following as a new subdivision (c)(7)(C):

(C) In cases where a licensed nursing home is delinquent on assessment fees beginning July 1, 2009 and ending June 30, 2012 and is currently participating in a payment plan, the commissioner shall be authorized to reduce the amount of penalties and interest due for that time period to twenty-five (25%) of the total assessment fee outstanding balance as of June 30, 2012. For purposes of this subdivision, the total assessment fee outstanding balance is calculated as the total assessment fees owed not including any penalties and interest, less any payments made by the facility, beginning July 1, 2009 and ending June 30, 2012.

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SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it.